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In re application of:

Jean-Louis Scandella et al.

Group Art Unit: 3742

Application No. 10/576,539

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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 5, 2010, please amend the above identified application as follows:

**In the Claims:**

Cancel claims 40 – 42 and 50 – 53.

Amend claims 38, 43, and 47 as follows: